

**TEXAS
San Angelo**

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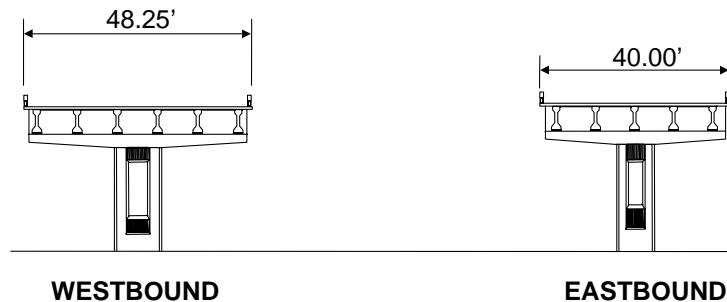
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TEXAS San Angelo

1. DESCRIPTION



| | |
|----------------------|---|
| Location: | U.S. Route 67 over North Concho River, U.S. Route 87, and South Orient Railroad, San Angelo, Texas |
| Open to Traffic: | January 1998 |
| Environment: | Normal over a river, road, and railway |
| HPC Elements: | Eastbound – Columns, bent caps, girders, precast panels, and cast-in-place deck Westbound – Cast-in-place deck of Spans 1 through 5 |
| Total Length: | Eastbound – 950 ft Westbound – 958 ft |
| Skew or Curve: | Spans at one end are skewed |
| Girder Type: | AASHTO Type IV for long spans Texas Type B for short spans |
| Girder Span Lengths: | Varies. See 10. DRAWINGS for details. |
| Girder Spacing: | Varies. See 10. DRAWINGS for details. |

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|-----------------------------|---|
| Girder Strand Grade: | 270 |
| Girder Strand Dia.: | Eastbound – Type IV uses 0.6 in, Type B uses 0.5 in Westbound – 0.5 in |
| Max. No. of Bottom Strands: | Eastbound – 84 based on the original design Westbound – 64 |
| Deck Thickness: | 7.5-in composite section with 3.5-in-thick cast-in-place concrete |
| Deck Panels | |
| —Length: | 8 ft 0 in |
| —Thickness: | 4-in-thick precast, prestressed |
| —Strand Grade: | 270 |
| —Strand Dia.: | 3/8 in |

2. BENEFITS OF HPC AND COSTS

A. Benefits of HPC

On the Eastbound bridge, which used HPC, eight spans were required for a total bridge length of 950 ft. On the Westbound bridge, which used conventional concrete, nine spans were required. Span 1 of both bridges was 131-ft long and had the same width. The Eastbound bridge utilized four girders at 11 ft 0 in spacing. The Westbound bridge utilized seven girders at 5.67-ft spacing. HPC was used in the decks to achieve high durability and low permeability.

B. Costs

| | |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Total Low Bid for Project: | \$11.65 million |
| HPC Eastbound: | \$42.03 ft ² of deck area |
| HPC Westbound: | \$45.38 ft ² of deck area |
| Girders: | \$115/linear ft for all types |
| Column Concrete: | HPC: \$385/yd ³ |
| | Conventional: \$360/yd ³ |

3. STRUCTURAL DESIGN

The original design for the HPC beams in the main span of the Eastbound bridge utilized pretensioned girders with harped strands. The fabricator elected to use a two-stage fabrication process involving a combination of straight pretensioned strands and two post-tensioned tendons with a parabolic profile. Debonding of ten pretensioned strands in the bottom flange and the addition of six pretensioned strands in the top flange were used to control end stresses at transfer.

In this compilation, data labeled "original" means as originally designed whereas "modified" refers to the two-stage fabrication process.

| | |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Design Specifications: | AASHTO Standard Specifications for Highway Bridges, 1992, and Interim Specifications |
| Design Live Loads: | HS 20-44 |
| Seismic Requirements: | None |
| Flexural Design Method: | AASHTO Standard Specifications with $E_c = 6000$ ksi for girders in Eastbound Spans 1 to 5 |
| Maximum Compressive Strain: | — |
| Shear Design Method: | AASHTO Standard Specifications 9.20 |
| Fatigue Design Method: | None |
| Lateral Stability Considerations: | Responsibility of fabricator. See 10. DRAWINGS for details. |
| Allowable Tensile Stress | |
| —Top of Girder at Release: | Eastbound: $10\sqrt{f'_{ci}}$ with bonded reinforcement |
| —Bottom of Girder after Losses: | Eastbound: $8\sqrt{f'_c}$ |
| Prestress Loss: | Eastbound: 49,070 psi, Westbound: 47,910 psi |
| Method Used for Loss: | Time-step method using ADAPT-ABI including pre-release losses |
| Calculated Camber: | Eastbound: 1.63 to 3.16 in at release Westbound: 2.12 in at release |
| Concrete Cover | |
| —Girder: | Web: 1-1/8 in minimum to stirrups Bottom surface: 1 in |
| —Top of Deck: | 2 in clear |
| —Bottom of Deck: | 1-1/4 in clear |
| —Other Locations: | 1-3/4 in cover to 3/8-in-diameter strands in panels Not available |
| Properties of Reinforcing Steel | |
| —Girder: | Grade 60 uncoated |
| —Deck: | Grade 60 uncoated |

Properties of Girder Strand

| | |
|----------------------|--|
| —Grade and Type: | Grade 270, low relaxation |
| —Supplier: | Florida Wire and Cable |
| —Surface Condition: | |
| —Pattern: | Original: harp Modified: debonded bottom strands and bonded top strands with parabolic post-tensioning tendons |
| —Transfer Length: | Not available |
| —Development Length: | Not available |

4. SPECIFIED ITEMS

A. Concrete Properties

The following classes of concrete were used on the superstructure of the San Angelo Bridge:

| Direction | Span | Component | | |
|-----------|------|-----------------|---------------------|----------|
| | | Precast Girders | Precast Deck Panels | CIP Deck |
| Eastbound | 1-5 | H(HPC) | H(HPC) | K(HPC) |
| | 6-8 | H | H(HPC) | K(HPC) |
| Westbound | 1-5 | H | H | S(HPC) |
| | 6-9 | H | H | S |

| | Precast Panels and Girders Eastbound <u>Class H (HPC)</u> | Cast-in-Place Deck Eastbound All Spans <u>Class K (HPC)</u> | Cast-in-Place Deck Westbound Spans 1 to 5 <u>Class S (HPC)</u> |
|--|---|---|--|
| Minimum Cementitious Materials Content: | 564 lb/yd ³ | 611 lb/yd ³ | 611 lb/yd ³ |
| Max. Water/Cementitious Materials Ratio: | 0.49 | 0.44 | 0.44 |
| Min. Percentage of Fly Ash: | 20 with potentially reactive aggregates | | |
| Max. Percentage of Fly Ash: | 35 or 0 with Type IP and white portland cement | | |
| Min. Percentage of Silica Fume: | Not specified | Not specified | Not specified |
| Max. Percentage of Silica Fume: | Not specified | Not specified | Not specified |
| Min. Percentage of GGBFS: | — | — | — |
| Max. Percentage of GGBFS: | 50 or 0 with Type IP cement | | |
| Maximum Aggregate Size: | 1-1/2 in | 1-1/2 in | 3/4 in |
| Slump: | For $f'_c \geq 9000$ psi, slump may exceed 8 in when approved by the engineer | | |
| | | 3-9 | 3-4 |
| Air Content: | — | 6 | 6 |
| Compressive Strength: | Varies (See next table) | 6000 psi at 28 days | 4000 psi at 28 days |

| Member | Compressive Strength, psi | | |
|----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| | Eastbound Original | Eastbound Modified | Westbound |
| Girders at release | 8900 to 10,800 (1) | 8000 to 8100 (1) | 4000 to 6600 |
| | 4000 to 6800 (2) | N/A | |
| Girders at 56 days | 10,900 to 14,700 (1) | 12,500 to 14,000 (1) | 5000 to 8900 at 28 days |
| | 5800 to 7800 (2) | N/A | |
| Panels at release | 4000 | N/A | 4000 |
| Panels at 28 days | 6000 | N/A | 5000 |
| Decks at 28 days | 6000 | N/A | 4000 |
| Bent caps at 28 days | 8000 | N/A | 6000 |
| Columns at 28 days | 6000 | N/A | 3600 |

(1) Spans 1-5.

(2) Spans 6-8.

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|--|--|
| Chloride Permeability: (AASHTO T 277) | A guideline of 1500 coulombs at 56 days was used for all mix designs |
| ASR or DEF Prevention: | Minimum fly ash content of 20% required with potentially reactive aggregates |
| Freeze-Thaw Resistance: | — |
| Deicer Scaling: | — |
| Abrasion Resistance: | — |
| Other: | Strand pullout tests in conjunction with 14 beams |

B. Specified QC Procedures**HPC Precast Production**

| | |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Curing: | Natural or steam |
| Internal Concrete Temperature: | $\geq 50^{\circ}\text{F}$ |
| Cylinder Curing: | Alongside member until release followed by ASTM standard curing |
| Cylinder size: | 4x8 in for $f'_c \geq 9000$ psi |
| Cylinder Capping Procedure: | Unbonded capping systems capable of 15,000 psi or high- strength capping compound |
| Cylinder Testing Method: | Tex-418-A (Similar to AASHTO T 22) |
| Frequency of Testing: | Two sets of three cylinders per line of girders |
| Other QA/QC Requirements: | Strand pull out tests for girders |

CIP Deck Construction

| | |
|---------------------------|---|
| Curing: | Wet mat curing for 10 days when fly ash is used or 8 days when fly ash is not used |
| Cylinder Curing: | AASHTO T 23 Standard Cure |
| Cylinder Size: | 4x8 in |
| Flexural Strength: | Not specified |
| Other QA/QC Requirements: | — |

5. CONCRETE MATERIALS

A. Concrete Mix Proportions for Girders

HPC mix proportions were developed by the research team for use by the fabricator.

| | Eastbound Class H (HPC) <u>Girders</u> | Westbound Class H <u>Girders</u> |
|--|--|--|
| Cement Brand: | Capitol | Capitol |
| Cement Type: | III | III |
| Cement Composition: | See Page 57 | See Page 57 |
| Cement Fineness: | See Page 57 | See Page 57 |
| Cement Quantity: | 671 lb/yd ³ | 526 lb/yd ³ |
| GGBFS Brand: | — | — |
| GGBFS Quantity: | — | — |
| Fly Ash Brand: | Not available | Not available |
| Fly Ash Type: | C | C |
| Fly Ash Quantity: | 312 lb/yd ³ | 196 lb/yd ³ |
| Silica Fume Brand: | — | — |
| Silica Fume Quantity: | — | — |
| Fine Aggregate Type: | River sand | River sand |
| Fine Aggregate FM: | 2.60 | 2.60 |
| Fine Aggregate SG: | 2.63 | 2.63 |
| Fine Aggregate Quantity: | 1062 lb/yd ³ | 1160 lb/yd ³ |
| Coarse Aggregate, Max. Size: | 0.5 in | 0.75 in |
| Coarse Aggregate Type: | No. 7 crushed dolomitic limestone | No. 6 crushed river gravel |
| Coarse Aggregate SG: | 2.68 | 2.63 |
| Coarse Aggregate Quantity: | 1863 lb/yd ³ | 1998 lb/yd ³ |
| Water: | 246 lb/yd ³ | 196 lb/yd ³ |
| Water Reducer Brand: | — | — |
| Water Reducer Type: | — | — |
| Water Reducer Quantity (3): | — | — |
| High-Range Water-Reducer Brand: | — | — |
| High-Range Water-Reducer Type: | F | F |
| High-Range Water-Reducer Quantity (3): | 200 fl oz/yd ³ | 159 fl oz/yd ³ |
| Retarder Brand: | — | — |
| Retarder Type: | B | B |
| Retarder Quantity: | 28 fl oz/yd ³ | 16 fl oz/yd ³ |
| Corrosion Inhibitor Brand: | — | — |
| Corrosion Inhibitor Type: | — | — |
| Corrosion Inhibitor Quantity: | — | — |

| | Eastbound Class H (HPC) <u>Girders</u> | Westbound Class H <u>Girders</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| Air Entrainment Brand: | — | — |
| Air Entrainment Type: | — | — |
| Air Entrainment Quantity: | None | None |
| Water/Cementitious Materials Ratio: | 0.25 | 0.27 |

(3) Quantities varied depending on weather conditions.

B. Measured Properties of Concrete Mix for Girders

| | Eastbound Class H (HPC) <u>Girders</u> | Westbound Class H <u>Girders</u> |
|--------------|--|--|
| Slump: | 6-9 in | 7-8 in |
| Air Content: | 0.9% | 0.9% |
| Unit Weight: | 152.9 lb/ft ³ | 149.3 lb/ft ³ |

C. Concrete Mix Proportions for Precast Deck Panels

HPC mix proportions were developed by the researchers for use by the contractor.

| | Eastbound Class H (HPC) <u>Panels</u> | Westbound Class H <u>Panels</u> |
|-------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| Cement Brand: | Capitol | Capitol |
| Cement Type: | III | III |
| Cement Composition: | See Page 57 | See Page 57 |
| Cement Fineness: | See Page 57 | See Page 57 |
| Cement Quantity: | 658 lb/yd ³ | 564 lb/yd ³ |
| GGBFS Brand: | — | — |
| GGBFS Quantity: | — | — |
| Fly Ash Brand: | — | — |
| Fly Ash Type: | — | — |
| Fly Ash Quantity: | — | — |
| Silica Fume Brand: | — | — |
| Silica Fume Quantity: | — | — |
| Fine Aggregate Type: | River sand | River sand |
| Fine Aggregate FM: | 2.63 | 2.63 |
| Fine Aggregate SG: | Not available | Not available |
| Fine Aggregate Quantity: | 1355 lb/yd ³ | 1457 lb/yd ³ |
| Coarse Aggregate, Max. Size: | 1 in | 1 in |
| Coarse Aggregate Type: | No. 5 crushed limestone | No. 5 crushed limestone |
| Coarse Aggregate SG: | Not available | Not available |
| Coarse Aggregate Quantity: | 1844 lb/yd ³ | 1889 lb/yd ³ |
| Water: | 251 lb/yd ³ | 275 lb/yd ³ |
| Water Reducer Brand: | — | — |
| Water Reducer Type: | D | D |
| Water Reducer Quantity: | 300 fl oz/yd ³ | 257 fl oz/yd ³ |
| High-Range Water-Reducer Brand: | — | — |
| High-Range Water-Reducer Type: | — | — |
| High-Range Water-Reducer Quantity: | — | — |
| Retarder Brand: | — | — |
| Retarder Type: | D | D |
| Retarder Quantity: | 79 fl oz/yd ³ | 49 fl oz/yd ³ |
| Corrosion Inhibitor Brand: | — | — |
| Corrosion Inhibitor Type: | — | — |
| Corrosion Inhibitor Quantity: | — | — |
| Air Entrainment Brand: | — | — |
| Air Entrainment Type: | — | — |
| Air Entrainment Quantity: | None | None |
| Water/Cementitious Materials Ratio: | 0.38 | 0.49 |

D. Measured Properties of Concrete Mix for Precast Deck Panels

| | Eastbound Class H (HPC) <u>Panels</u> | Westbound Class H <u>Panels</u> |
|--|---|---------------------------------------|
| Slump: | 5-6 in | 6-7 in |
| Air Content: | 1.5% | 1.5% |
| Unit Weight: | 150.9 lb/ft ³ | 150.7 lb/ft ³ |
| Chloride Permeability: (AASHTO T 277) | 1980 coulombs at 56 days | 3230 coulombs at 56 days |

E. Concrete Mix Proportions for Cast-in-Place Concrete Deck

| | Eastbound Bridge <u>Class K (HPC)</u> | Westbound Bridge Spans 1-5 <u>Class S (HPC)</u> | Westbound Bridge Spans 6-9 <u>Class S</u> |
|-------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Cement Brand: | Lone Star | Lone Star | Lone Star |
| Cement Type: | II | II | II |
| Cement Composition: | Not available | Not available | Not available |
| Cement Fineness: | Not available | Not available | Not available |
| Cement Quantity: | 490 lb/yd ³ | 427 lb/yd ³ | 611 lb/yd ³ |
| GGBFS Brand: | — | — | — |
| GGBFS Quantity: | — | — | — |
| Fly Ash Brand: | — | — | — |
| Fly Ash Type: | C | C | — |
| Fly Ash Quantity: | 210 lb/yd ³ | 184 lb/yd ³ | — |
| Silica Fume Brand: | — | — | — |
| Silica Fume Quantity: | — | — | — |
| Fine Aggregate Type: | River sand | River sand | River sand |
| Fine Aggregate FM: | 2.70 | 2.70 | 2.70 |
| Fine Aggregate SG: | Not available | Not available | Not available |
| Fine Aggregate Quantity: | 1365 lb/yd ³ | 1240 lb/yd ³ | 1243 lb/yd ³ |
| Coarse Aggregate, Max. Size: | 1.25 in | 1.25 in | 1.25 in |
| Coarse Aggregate Type: | No. 5 crushed river gravel | No. 5 crushed river gravel | No. 5 crushed river gravel |
| Coarse Aggregate SG: | Not available | Not available | Not available |
| Coarse Aggregate Quantity: | 1900 lb/yd ³ | 1856 lb/yd ³ | 1856 lb/yd ³ |
| Water: | 219 lb/yd ³ | 258 lb/yd ³ | 258 lb/yd ³ |
| Water Reducer Brand: | — | — | — |
| Water Reducer Type: | — | — | — |
| Water Reducer Quantity: | — | — | — |
| High-Range Water-Reducer Brand: | — | — | — |
| High-Range Water-Reducer Type: | F | — | — |
| High-Range Water-Reducer Quantity: | 156 fl oz/yd ³ | — | — |
| Retarder Brand: | — | Plastocrete 161R | Plastocrete 161R |
| Retarder Type: | B and D | B and D | B and D |
| Retarder Quantity: | 28 fl oz/yd ³ | 26 fl oz/yd ³ | 26 fl oz/yd ³ |
| Corrosion Inhibitor Brand: | — | — | — |
| Corrosion Inhibitor Type: | — | — | — |
| Corrosion Inhibitor Quantity: | — | — | — |
| Air Entrainment Brand: | — | — | — |
| Air Entrainment Type: | — | — | — |
| Air Entrainment Quantity: | 3.1 fl oz/yd ³ | 3.1 fl oz/yd ³ | 3.1 fl oz/yd ³ |
| Water/Cementitious Materials Ratio: | 0.31 | 0.42 | 0.42 |

F. Measured Properties of Concrete Mix for Cast-in-Place Concrete Deck

| | Eastbound Bridge <u>Class K (HPC)</u> | Westbound Bridge Spans 1-5 <u>Class S (HPC)</u> | Westbound Bridge Spans 6-9 <u>Class S</u> |
|--|---|--|--|
| Slump: | 7-9 in | 3-4 in | 3-4 in |
| Air Content: | 6% | 6% | 6% |
| Unit Weight: | 149.4 lb/ft ³ | 145.3 lb/ft ³ | 145.6 lb/ft ³ |
| Chloride Permeability: (AASHTO T 277) | 690 coulombs at 56 days | 1380 coulombs at 56 days | 2490 coulombs at 56 days |

6. CONCRETE MATERIAL PROPERTIES

A. Measured Properties from QC Tests of Production Concrete for Girders

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|--|------------------------|
| Cement Composition: | Not available | |
| Actual Curing Procedure for Girders: | Natural heat of hydration | |
| | Light steam on 2/25/97 only | |
| Curing Procedure for Cylinders: | Cured with member until release of strands followed by AASHTO T 23 Standard Curing | |
| | Eastbound | Westbound |
| | <u>Class H(HPC)</u> | <u>Class H</u> |
| Slump: | See table below | 7-8 in |
| Air Content: | 2% | 2% |
| Unit Weight: | 153 lb/ft ³ | 149 lb/ft ³ |
| Compressive Strength: | See table below | 8560 at release* |
| | | 10,130 at 28 days* |

* Largest measured values.

Eastbound Class H(HPC)

| Date Cast | Girder No. | Release | | | Design | | |
|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|---------------------|
| | | Slump, in | Age, hours | Comp. Strength, psi | Slump, in | Age, days | Comp. Strength, psi |
| 2/19/97 | E13, E14 | 9 | 19 | 8620 | 8-3/4 | 28 | 15,120 |
| 2/25/97 | | 9 | 37 | 10,820 | 8-1/2 | 28 | 14,890 |
| 3/3/97 | | 9 | 19 | 8710 | 8 | 35 | 14,520 |
| 3/8/97 | E24, E26 | 8 | 46 | 11,630 | 8-1/4 | 28 | 14,040 |
| 3/15/97 | | 8 | 45 | 10,420 | 8-3/4 | 30 | 15,240 |
| 3/22/97 | E33, E34 | 5 | 42 | 11,250 | 7-3/8 | 30 | 14,290 |
| 3/29/97 | E35 | 9 | 42 | 10,930 | 9 | 28 | 14,450 |
| 4/7/97 | | 8 | 19 | 8860 | 3-1/2 | 28 | 14,160 |
| 4/12/97 | E44, E45 | 8 | 46 | 10,240 | 8 | 56 | 13,830 |
| 4/18/97 | | 7 | 22 | 8270 | 7 | 28 | 14,600 |
| 4/28/97 | | 7-1/2 | 21 | 10,040 | 8 | 29 | 14,650 |
| 4/29/97 | | 8-3/4 | 17 | 9520 | 8-3/4 | 28 | 14,270 |
| Average | | 8 | | 9940 | 7-3/4 | | 14,510 |

B. Measured Properties from QC Tests of Production Concrete for Precast Panels

Cement Composition: Not Available
 Actual Curing Procedure for Panels: —
 Curing Procedure for Cylinders: —

Slump and Compressive Strength:
 Eastbound Class H(HPC)

| Date Cast | Release | | | Design | | |
|-----------|-----------|------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|---------------------|
| | Slump, in | Age, hours | Comp. Strength, psi | Slump, in | Age, days | Comp. Strength, psi |
| 8/16/96 | 8 | 14 | 4600 | 7-3/4 | 7 | 9100 |
| 8/16/96 | — | 21 | 5590 | — | 7 | 6620 |
| 8/19/96 | 4-1/2 | 19 | 5560 | 2-1/2 | 7 | 6550 |
| 8/19/96 | 4 | 15-1/2 | 5080 | 3-1/2 | 7 | 8760 |
| 8/20/96 | 3-1/2 | 20-1/4 | 5270 | 2 | 7 | 6750 |
| 8/20/96 | 3-1/2 | 17 | 4960 | 2 | 7 | 6520 |
| 8/20/96 | 5 | 16 | 4880 | — | 7 | 6770 |
| 8/20/96 | 2-1/2 | 20 | 5450 | 2-3/4 | 7 | 7010 |
| 8/22/96 | 7 | 20 | 5160 | 4 | 7 | 6660 |
| 8/22/96 | 4 | 17 | 5560 | 5 | 7 | 6930 |
| 8/23/96 | 4 | 20 | 4880 | 5 | 7 | 6620 |
| 8/29/96 | — | 23 | 4790 | — | 7 | 8600 |
| 9/4/96 | 4-1/4 | 24 | 4010 | — | 7 | 6960 |
| 9/10/96 | 4 | 20 | 4570 | 3-1/2 | 2 | 6450 |

C. Measured Properties from QC Tests of Production Concrete for Cast-in-Place Deck

Cement Composition: Not available
 Actual Curing Procedure for Deck: Wet mat curing for 10 days on all eastbound spans and westbound Spans 1-5
 Curing Procedure for Cylinders: AASHTO T 23 Initial and Standard Curing

Slump, Concrete Temperature, Air content,
 and Compressive Strength:
 Eastbound Class K(HPC)

| Date Cast | Eastbound Span No. | Slump, in | Concrete Temp., °F | Air Content, % | Compressive Strength, psi | | |
|-----------|--------------------|-----------|--------------------|----------------|---------------------------|--------|---------|
| | | | | | 5 days | 7 days | 28 days |
| 6/12/97 | 1 | 5-1/2 | 77 | 7 | 5181 (4) | 5373 | 6680 |
| | | 5 | 78 | 6.2 | 6103 (4) | 6991 | 7358 |
| 6/25/97 | 2 | 7-1/2 | 80 | 6.0 | 4755 | 5815 | — |
| | | 8 | 75 | 6.2 | 5986 | 5657 | — |
| 7/9/97 | 3 | 8 | 80 | 6.2 | 6216 | 5792 | — |
| | | 7 | 88 | 6.2 | 5976 | 6357 | — |
| 7/23/97 | 4 | 8 | 81 | 6.0 | 6481 | 6056 | 8180 |
| | | 8 | 83 | 6.3 | 5779 | 6245 | 7454 |
| 7/26/97 | 5 | 7-3/4 | 84 | 6.8 | 5746 (4) | 6100 | 7269 |
| | | 7-1/2 | 83 | 6.4 | 5991 (4) | 6128 | — |
| 8/19/97 | 6 | 8-1/4 | 80 | 6.6 | 5924 (5) | 5972 | — |
| | | 8-1/2 | 81 | 7.2 | 6386 (5) | 5735 | — |
| 8/28/97 | 7 | 8 | 78 | 6.0 | 6253 | 6540 | — |
| | | 8-1/4 | 82 | 6.0 | 5506 | 5804 | — |
| 9/4/97 | 8 | 7 | 80 | 6.0 | 4286 (4) | 6247 | 7128 |
| | | 6-1/4 | 82 | 5.2 | 5418 (4) | 6049 | — |
| | Average | 7.4 | 80.8 | 6.3 | 5749 | 6054 | 7345 |

(4) Tested at concrete age of four days.

(5) Tested at concrete age of six days.

Westbound Class S(HPC)

Unit Weight: 145 lb/ft³

Compressive Strength: 6120 psi at 28 days

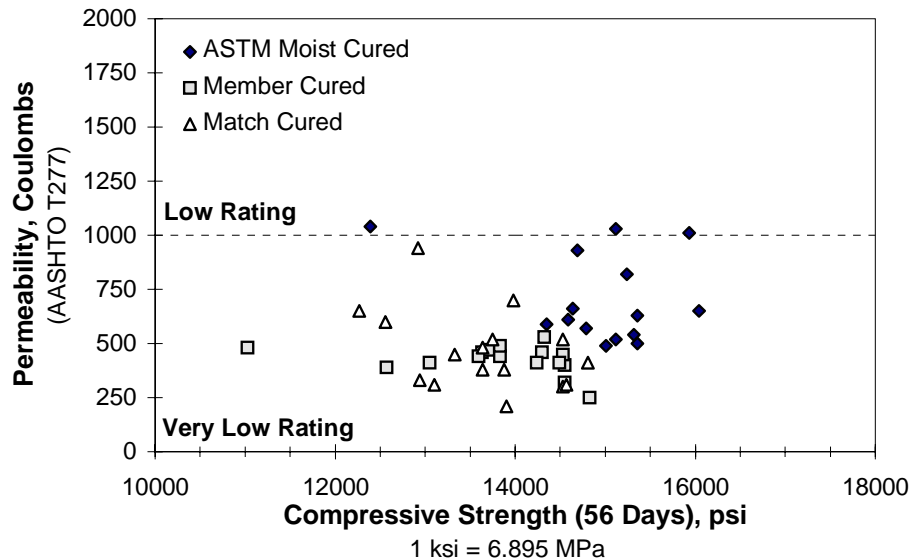
D. Measured Properties from Research Tests of Production Concrete for Girders

Compressive Strength,
Modulus of Elasticity, and
Splitting Tensile Strength:

See Excel file for girder data

Rapid Chloride Permeability:

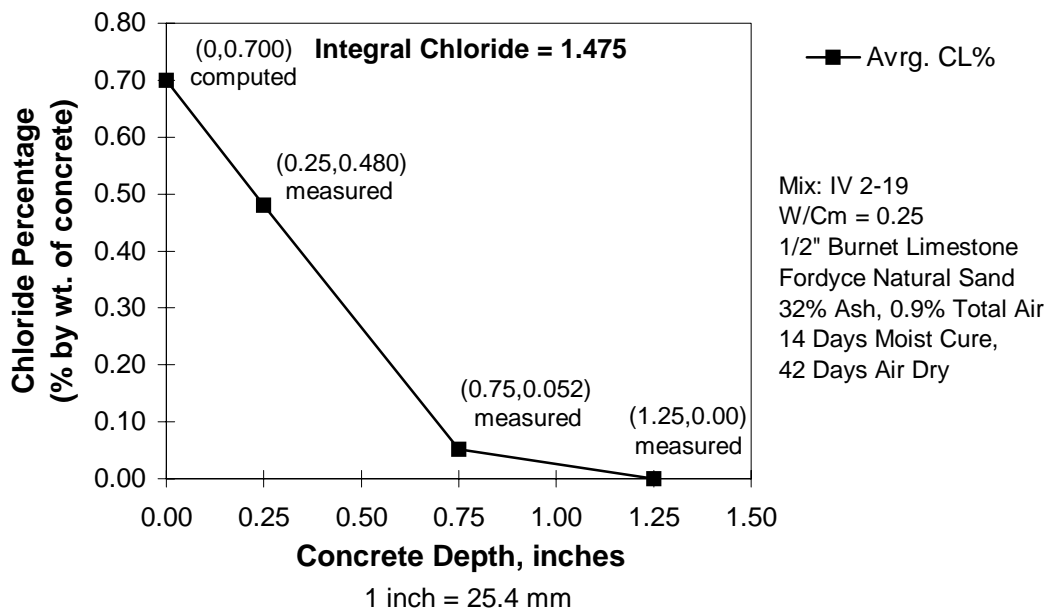
The following graph contains data from both the San Angelo and Louetta Road bridges



See Excel file for girder data.

Chloride Ion Penetration:
(AASHTO T 259)

Chloride percentages are the average of six samples.



Creep and Shrinkage:

All 4x20-in cylinders stored alongside the beams for 8 to 18 hours, stripped at approximately 24 hours after casting and loaded at age 2 days to 20 and 40 percent of the nominal design compressive strength of the mix. Temperature and humidity were not controlled. Average relative humidity was 55 percent.

| Days after Loading | Creep Coefficient (6) | | Specific Creep (6), millionths/psi | | Shrinkage (7), millionths | |
|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| | Eastbound Class H (HPC) | Westbound Class H | Eastbound Class H (HPC) | Westbound Class H | Eastbound Class H (HPC) | Westbound Class H |
| 7 | 0.73 | 0.47 | 0.120 | 0.079 | 223 | 98 |
| 28 | 0.92 | 0.71 | 0.151 | 0.120 | 307 | 242 |
| 56 | 1.06 | 0.75 | 0.174 | 0.126 | 353 | 269 |
| 180 | 1.25 | 0.85 | 0.205 | 0.42 | 382 | 298 |

(6) Reported creep values are the average values for specimens loaded to the 20 and 40 percent levels. Nine readings were taken on each specimen.

(7) Shrinkage values include adjustments for one day of drying before initial readings were taken and for length changes caused by variation in concrete temperatures.

E. Measured Properties from Research Tests of Production Concrete for Precast Panels

Compressive Strength,
Modulus of Elasticity, and
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion:

All 4x8-in cylinders cured alongside the panels before and after release and tested using neoprene pads and steel caps.

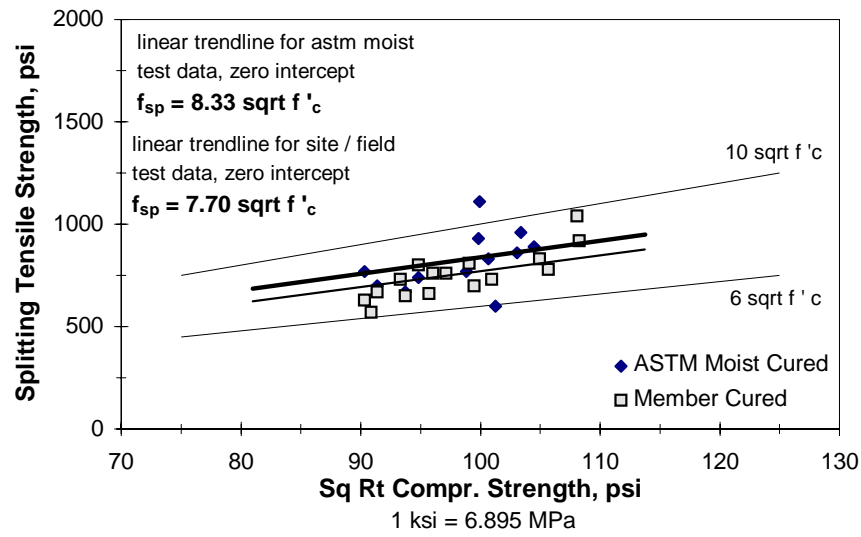
| Bridge | Release Test Age, hours | Compressive Strength (8), psi | | Modulus of Elasticity (8), ksi | | Coefficient of Thermal Expansion (9), mill/°F |
|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|
| | | Release | 56 days HPC 28 days non-HPC | Release | 56 days HPC 28 days non-HPC | |
| Eastbound HPC | 24 | 3140 | 10,100 | 2990 | 4620 | 4.7 |
| Westbound non-HPC | 24 | 5310 | 8250 | 3990 | 4680 | 4.6 |

(8) Average values for all instrumented panels cast 2/5/97 for Eastbound and 9/4/96 for Westbound.

(9) Average of two increasing and two decreasing values between 40 and 120 °F at 60% relative humidity.

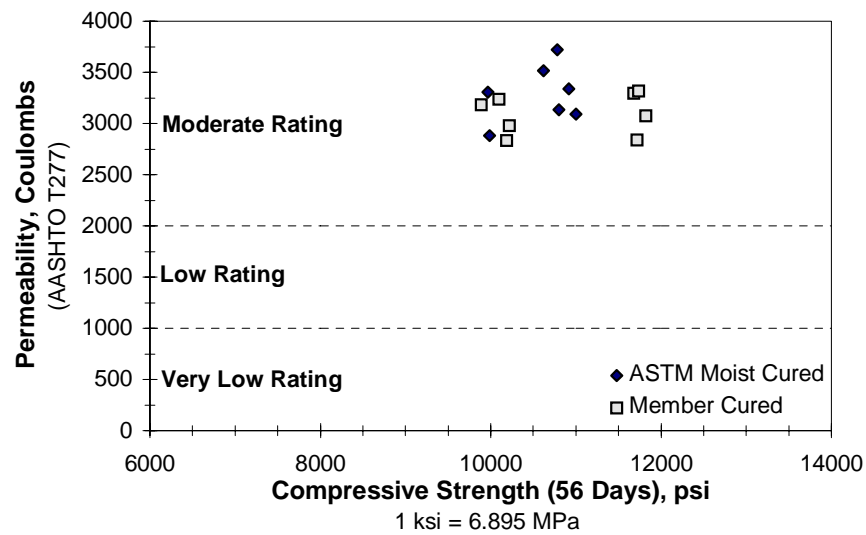
See Excel file for panel data.

Splitting Tensile Strength:



See Excel file for panel data.

Chloride Permeability:



See Excel file for panel data.

Creep and Shrinkage:

All 4x20-in cylinders stored alongside the panels for 8 to 18 hours, stripped at approximately 24 hours after casting and loaded at age 2 days to 20 and 40 percent of the nominal design compressive strength of the mix. Temperature and humidity were not controlled. Average relative humidity was 55 percent.

| Days after Loading | Creep Coefficient (10) | | Specific Creep (10), millionths/psi | | Shrinkage (11), millionths | |
|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| | Eastbound Class H (HPC) | Westbound Class H | Eastbound Class H (HPC) | Westbound Class H | Eastbound Class H (HPC) | Westbound Class H |
| 7 | 0.58 | 0.74 | 0.133 | 0.168 | 135 | 249 |
| 28 | 1.12 | 1.07 | 0.257 | 0.244 | 330 | 360 |
| 56 | 1.41 | 1.37 | 0.324 | 0.310 | 404 | 387 |
| 180 | 1.95 | 1.97 | 0.445 | 0.444 | 528 | 428 |

(10) Reported creep values are the average values for specimens loaded to the 20 and 40 percent levels. Nine readings were taken on each specimen.

(11) Shrinkage values included adjustments for one day of drying before initial readings were taken and for length changes caused by variation in concrete temperatures.

F. Measured Properties from Research Tests of Production Concrete for Cast-in-Place Deck

Compressive Strength,
Modulus of Elasticity, and
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion:

All 4x8-in cylinders cured alongside the deck.

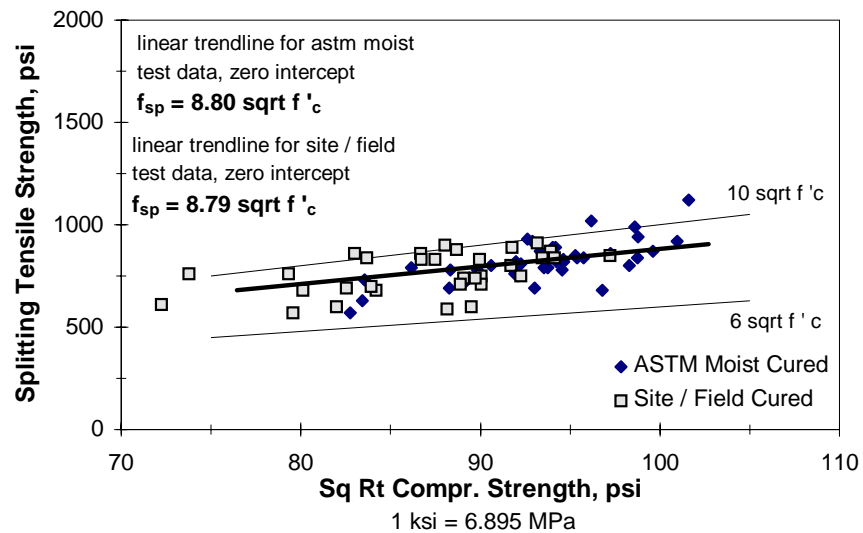
| Span | Compressive Strength (12), psi | Modulus of Elasticity, ksi | Coefficient of Thermal Expansion (13), mill/°F |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| Eastbound HPC—Class K (HPC) | | | |
| 1 | 7290 | 5500 | 4.6 |
| 2 | 8420 | 5230 | |
| 3 | 9060 | 6060 | |
| 4 | 7550 | 5790 | |
| 5 | 8220 | 5010 | |
| 6 | 8680 | 5380 | |
| 7 | 7460 | 4920 | |
| 8 | 7770 | 5570 | |
| Westbound Class S (HPC) | | | |
| 1 | 6400 | 5170 | 4.4 |
| 2 | 5160 | 4670 | |
| 3 | 4450 | 4310 | |
| 4 | 4700 | 4670 | |
| 5 | 4560 | 4640 | |
| Westbound Class S | | | |
| 6 and 7 | 5340 | 4930 | 4.9 |

(12) At 56 days for HPC mixes. At 28 days for non-HPC mixes.

(13) Average of two increasing and two decreasing values between 40 and 120 °F at 60% relative humidity.

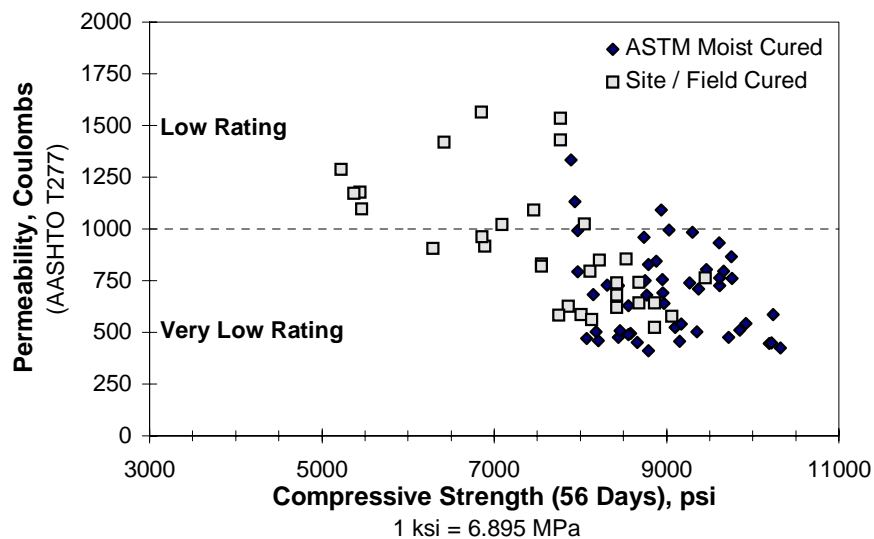
See Excel file for deck data.

Splitting Tensile Strength:
Class K(HPC)



See Excel file for deck data.

Chloride Permeability:
Class K(HPC)



See Excel file for deck data.

Chloride Ion Penetration:
(AASHTO T 259)

| Concrete Class | K (HPC) | K (HPC) | S | S (HPC) |
|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Casting Date | 6/12/97 | 8/19/97 | 2/15/97 | 12/3/96 |
| Depth, in | | | | |
| 0.25 | 0.201 | 0.156 | 0.368 | 0.269 |
| 0.75 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.058 | 0.000 |
| 1.25 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 |
| Integral Chloride | 0.56 | 0.44 | 1.17 | 0.85 |

Values are chloride percentage by weight of concrete.
Specimens moist cured for 14 days followed by 42 days drying and
ponding for 90 days.

Freeze-Thaw Resistance:
(ASTM C 666)

| Concrete Class | Casting Date | Total Cycles | Mass Change, percent | Durability Factor |
|----------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| K (HPC) (14) | 6/12/97 | 300 | -0.86 | 97.9 |
| | | 300 | -1.12 | 99.0 |
| | | 300 | -0.92 | 96.9 |
| K (HPC) (15) | 6/12/97 | 300 | -1.15 | 97.0 |
| | | 300 | -1.06 | 98.0 |
| | | 300 | -1.30 | 98.0 |
| K (HPC) (14) | 6/25/97 | 300 | -0.35 | 97.1 |
| | | 300 | -0.28 | 97.1 |
| | | 300 | -0.32 | 96.0 |
| K (HPC) (14) | 7/9/97 | 300 | -0.76 | 97.0 |
| | | 300 | -1.17 | 98.0 |
| | | 300 | -0.96 | 97.0 |
| K (HPC) (15) | 7/9/97 | 300 | -0.92 | 96.9 |
| | | 300 | -0.65 | 96.9 |
| | | 300 | -0.85 | 97.5 |
| K (HPC) (14) | 7/23/97 | 300 | -0.40 | 99.9 |
| | | 300 | -0.64 | 97.0 |
| | | 300 | -0.72 | 98.4 |
| K (HPC) (15) | 7/23/97 | 300 | -0.34 | 101.1 |
| | | 300 | -0.46 | 99.0 |
| | | 300 | -0.43 | 100.0 |
| K (HPC) | Average | — | -0.75 | 97.9 |
| S (14) | 2/15/97 | 314 | -1.88 | 95.7 |
| | | 314 | -2.36 | 99.0 |
| | | 314 | -2.22 | 94.0 |
| S (14) | 2/18/97 | 300 | -3.64 | 91.4 |
| | | 300 | -3.20 | 89.4 |
| | | 300 | -3.21 | 92.1 |
| S (14) | 2/28/97 | 300 | -2.16 | 96.7 |
| | | 300 | -2.04 | 93.7 |
| | | 300 | -2.28 | 96.9 |
| | | 300 | -1.54 | 98.9 |
| | | 300 | -1.62 | 96.8 |
| | | 300 | -3.35 | 96.8 |
| S (14) | Average | — | -2.46 | 95.1 |

(14) Concrete samples obtained from ready-mix truck.

(15) Concrete samples obtained from concrete pump.

| Concrete Class | Casting Date | Total Cycles | Mass Change, percent | Durability Factor |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| S (HPC) (14) | 1/29/97 | 302 | -2.93 | 98.6 |
| | | 302 | -2.79 | 99.0 |
| | | 302 | -3.70 | 99.0 |
| S (HPC) (14) | 3/4/97 | 300 | -2.28 | 94.5 |
| | | 300 | -1.69 | 97.1 |
| | | 300 | -1.59 | 96.9 |
| | | 300 | -1.65 | 96.9 |
| | | 300 | -1.58 | 96.9 |
| | | 300 | -1.52 | 96.9 |
| S (14) | Average | — | -2.19 | 97.3 |

(14) Concrete samples obtained from ready-mix truck.

(15) Concrete samples obtained from concrete pump.

Abrasion Resistance:
(ASTM C 944)

| Concrete Class | Casting Date | Depth of Wear (16), in | Percent Wear |
|----------------|--------------|------------------------|--------------|
| K (HPC) (17) | 6/12/97 | 0.025 | 7.3 |
| | | 0.039 | 12.5 |
| | | 0.058 | 17.8 |
| K (HPC) (18) | 6/25/97 | 0.039 | 11.3 |
| | | 0.024 | 7.2 |
| | | 0.039 | 8.7 |
| K (HPC) (18) | 7/9/97 | 0.035 | 11.7 |
| | | 0.040 | 14.5 |
| | | 0.063 | 23.8 |
| K (HPC) (17) | 7/9/97 | 0.043 | 11.0 |
| | | 0.033 | 12.9 |
| | | 0.049 | 14.9 |
| K (HPC) (18) | 7/23/97 | 0.036 | 10.7 |
| | | 0.034 | 9.8 |
| | | 0.038 | 11.2 |
| K (HPC) | Average (17) | 0.041 | 12.7 |
| | Average (18) | 0.039 | 12.1 |
| S (18) | 2/18/97 | 0.041 | 9.9 |
| | | 0.041 | 10.4 |
| S (18) | 2/28/97 | 0.058 | 13.5 |
| | | 0.046 | 13.1 |
| | | 0.048 | 18.1 |
| S | Average | 0.047 | 13.0 |
| S (HPC) (18) | 3/4/97 | 0.077 | 20.4 |
| | | 0.097 | 25.0 |
| | | 0.043 | 11.1 |
| S (HPC) | Average | 0.072 | 18.8 |

(16) Measurements made after 6 minutes of testing.

(17) Concrete sample obtained from concrete pumps.

(18) Concrete sample obtained from ready-mix truck.

Scaling Resistance:
(ASTM C 672)

| Concrete Class | Casting Date | Conditioning Rating |
|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| K (HPC) (19) | 6/12/97 | 3 |
| | | 3 |
| K (HPC) (20) | 6/25/97 | 4 |
| | | 4 |
| K (HPC) (20) | 7/9/97 | 3 |
| | | 3 |
| K (HPC) (19) | 7/9/97 | 1 |
| | | 1 |
| K (HPC) (20) | 7/23/97 | 1 |
| | | 2 |
| K (HPC) | Average (20) | 3 |
| | Average (19) | 2 |
| S (20) | 2/18/97 | 4 |
| | | 3.5 |
| S (20) | 2/28/97 | 5 |
| | | 5 |
| S (20) | Average | 4.5 |
| S (HPC) (20) | 3/4/97 | 0 |
| | | 0 |
| S (HPC) (20) | Average | 0 |

(19) Concrete sample obtained from concrete pumps.

(20) Concrete sample obtained from ready-mix truck.

Creep and Shrinkage:

All 4x20-in cylinders stored alongside the cast-in place deck for 8 to 18 hours, stripped at approximately 24 hours after casting and stored in the testing room until loaded at age 28 days to 20 and 40 percent of the nominal design compressive strength of the mix. Temperature and humidity were not controlled. Average relative humidity was 55 percent.

| Days after Loading | Creep Coefficient (21) | | | Specific Creep (21), millionths/psi | | | Shrinkage (22), millionths | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|---------|--|------------------|---------|-------------------------------|------------------|---------|
| | Eastbound Class K (HPC) | Westbound | | Eastbound Class K (HPC) | Westbound | | Eastbound Class K (HPC) | Westbound | |
| | | Class S (HPC) | Class S | | Class S (HPC) | Class S | | Class S (HPC) | Class S |
| 7 | 0.72 | 0.65 | 0.53 | 0.108 | 0.212 | 0.106 | 138 | 125 | 118 |
| 28 | 1.07 | 1.21 | 0.94 | 0.161 | 0.390 | 0.186 | 251 | 269 | 258 |
| 56 | 1.25 | 1.51 | 1.43 | 0.188 | 0.488 | 0.284 | 285 | 371 | 340 |
| 180 | 1.59 | 2.23 | 1.96 | 0.240 | 0.722 | 0.389 | 265 | 462 | 434 |

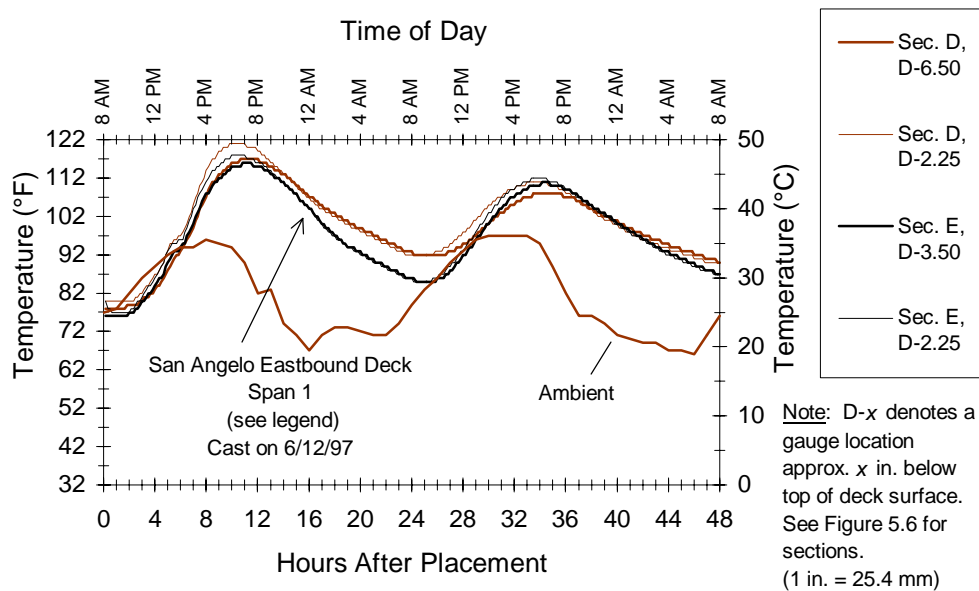
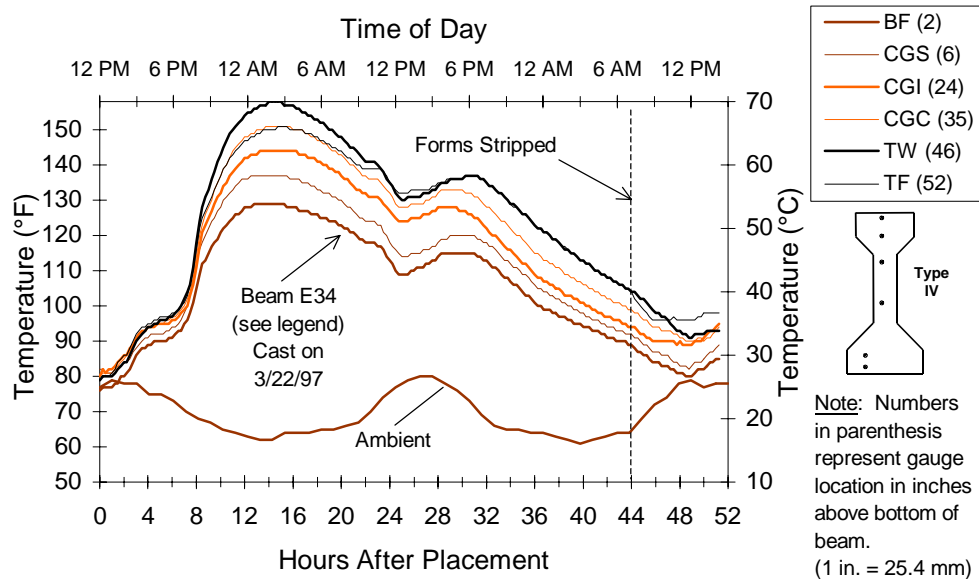
(21) Reported creep values are the average values for specimens loaded to the 20 and 40 percent levels. Nine readings were taken on each specimen.

(22) Shrinkage values included adjustments for one day of drying before initial readings were taken and for length changes caused by variation in concrete temperatures.

7. OTHER RESEARCH DATA

A significant amount of research was conducted in connection with the construction of the San Angelo bridge. Data were collected on concrete curing temperatures, thermal gradients, and temperatures in the bridge; concrete strains, prestress losses, camber, and deflection; and responses during static live load tests. The following sections report key data. For more detailed results, consult the project final reports.

Concrete Curing Temperatures:



| Member | Concrete Temperature, °F | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| | Placement (23) | Peak (24) | Max. Rise (24,25) | Max. Gradient (26) |
| Eastbound HPC Beams | | | | |
| E13 | 83 | 141 | 54 | 19 |
| E14 | 83 | 144 | 54 | 21 |
| E24 | 81 | 139 | 55 | 20 |
| E26 | 83 | 139 | 54 | 26 |
| E33 | 83 | 157 | 59 | 27 |
| E34 | 79 | 158 | 60 | 29 |
| E35 | 87 | 150 | 56 | 28 |
| Westbound Non-HPC Beams | | | | |
| W 17 (27) | 80 | 155 | 66 | 26 |
| Eastbound HPC Panels | | | | |
| SHP11 | 67 | 68 | 2 | 2 |
| SHP21 | 70 | 71 | 3 | 1 |
| SHP22 | 67 | 67 | 2 | 1 |
| SHP31 | 69 | 72 | 4 | 1 |
| SHP41 | 67 | 71 | 3 | 1 |
| Westbound Non-HPC Panels | | | | |
| SNP1 | 93 | 106 | 6 | 5 |
| SNP2 | 93 | 105 | 5 | 4 |
| Eastbound Deck | | | | |
| SE1-D | 79 | 121 | 34 | 7 |
| SE1-E | 78 | 118 | 31 | 4 |
| SE2-D | 78 | 108 | 25 | 6 |
| SE2-E | 76 | 101 | 20 | 1 |
| SE3-D | 85 | 121 | 28 | 17 |

(23) Average temperature for all gages in a beam, and average of two locations in panels and decks.

(24) At a single gage location usually located at the centroid of the top flange.

(25) The temperature rise in the HPC beams is equivalent to 8.0 to 8.9 °F per 100 lb/yd³ of cement or 5.5 to 6.1 °F per 100 lb/yd³ of cementitious material.

(26) Between two gage locations.

(27) Steam cured to maintain a favorable temperature under the tarpaulin.

Thermal Gradients:

| | Westbound (28) | Eastbound (29) |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| Measured Thermal Gradient (30), °F | | |
| Positive Gradient | 36 | 28 |
| Negative Gradient | 13 | 12 |
| Highest Average Measured Gradient for a Calendar Month, °F | | |
| Positive Gradient | 28 (31) | 21 (32) |
| Negative Gradient | 8 (33) | 7 (33) |

(28) Data collected for the full 1997 calendar year.

(29) Data collected for nine months beginning July 1997.

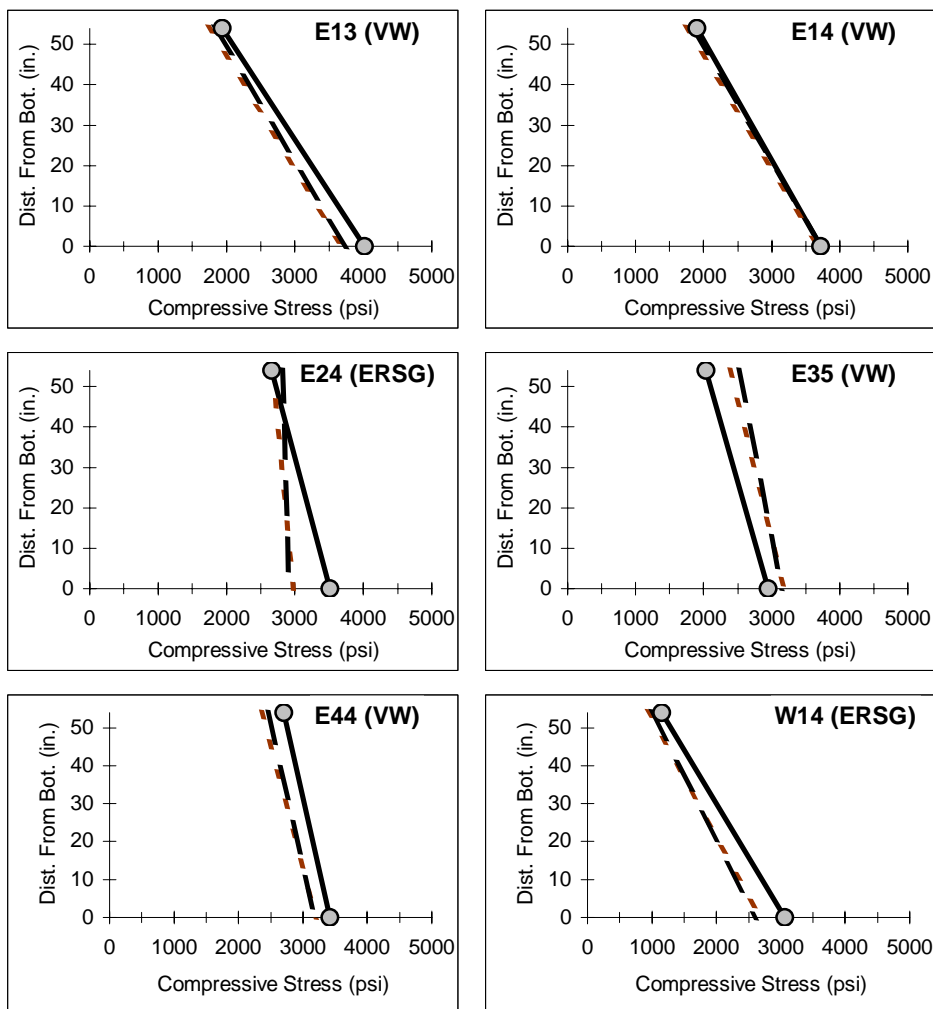
(30) Temperature difference between the beam and the location of the top deck gage. This ranged from 2.00 to 2.25 in below the deck surface.

(31) Average for June 1997.

(32) Average for March 1998.

(33) Average occurred in many months.

Concrete Stresses at Release of Pretensioning:

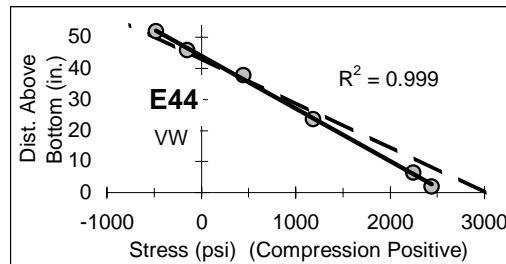
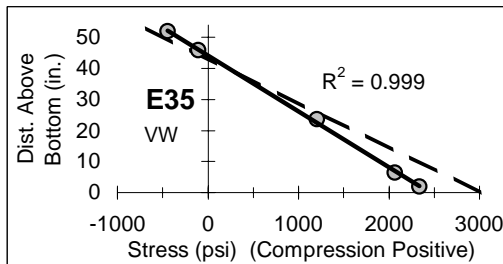
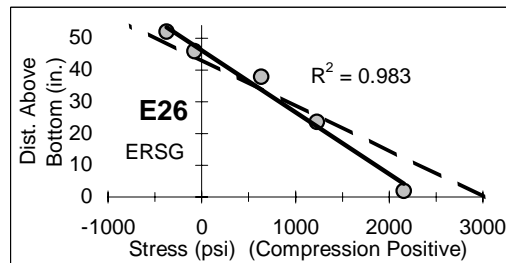
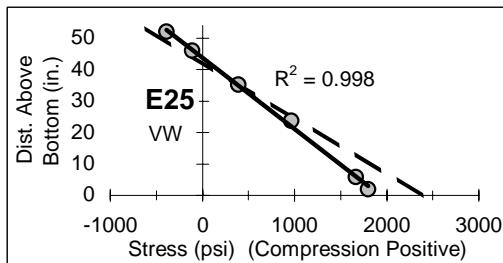
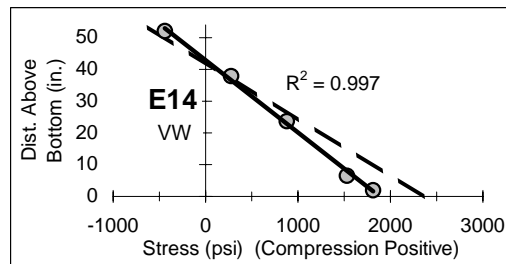
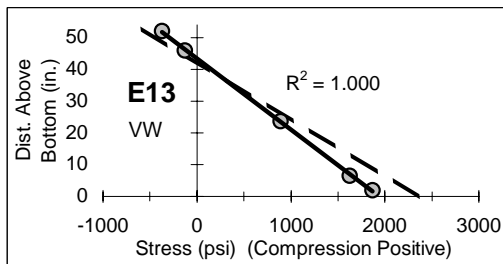


Note: Solid lines represent "measured" stresses determined by multiplying measured strains by modulus of elasticity from tests on companion specimens. Dotted lines represent "design" prediction. Dashed lines represent "measured" prediction. (See Table 6.2 for assumptions.)

Table 6.2 follows.

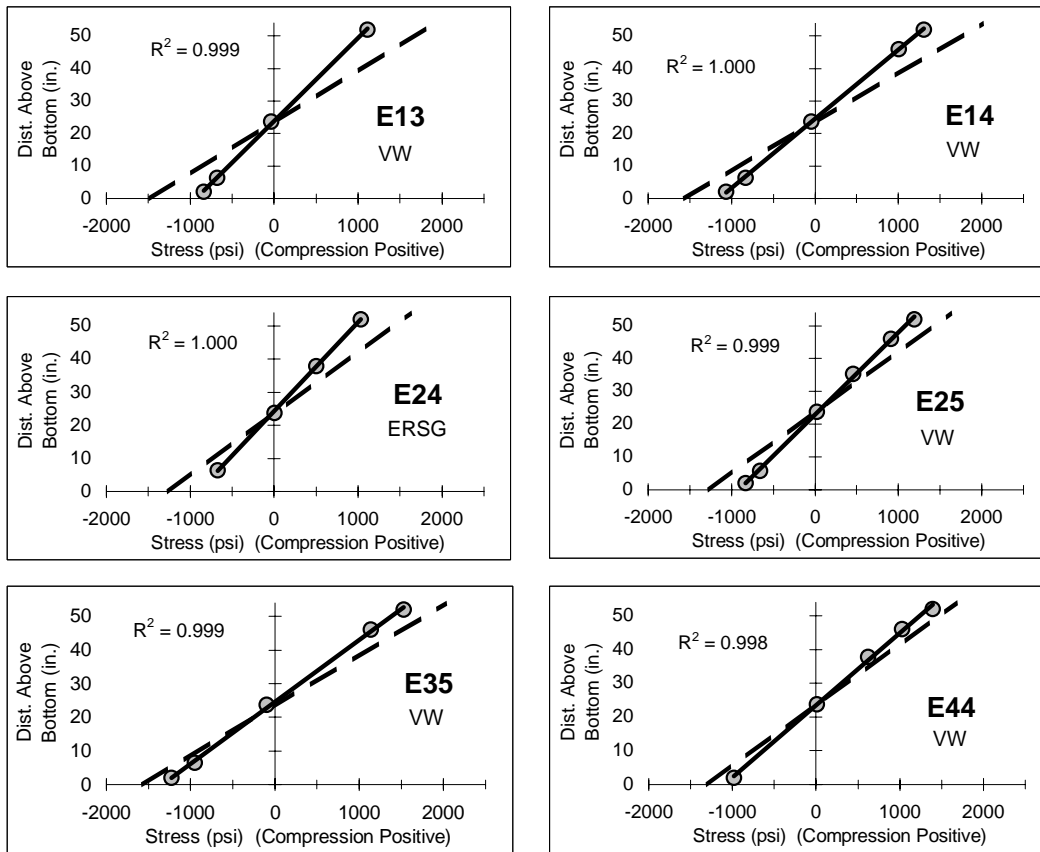
| Parameters | Design Analysis | Measured Analysis |
|-----------------------|--|--|
| Sectional Properties | Gross section | Transformed section |
| Prestress Force/Loss | No loss assumed before release. Elastic shortening loss calculated by approximate method given in <i>AASHTO LRFD Specifications</i> | 3.5 to 4.5 % loss assumed before release |
| Beam Self-Weight | Gross beam area at 150 lb/ft ³ (3.29 kg/m ³) | Gross beam area and measured unit weight, with approx. weight of steel included. |
| Modulus of Elasticity | $33w^{1.5}\sqrt{f'_c}$ for Westbound $40,000\sqrt{f'_c} + 1,000,000$ for Eastbound | Based on tests of companion specimens |

Concrete Stresses from Post-Tensioning:



Note: Points represent measured stresses (strains multiplied by measured modulus of elasticity). Solid lines represent regression lines fit to measured data (coefficient of determination given on each chart). Dashed lines represent predicted stresses based on analysis using measured modulus of elasticity and net transformed section properties.

Concrete Stresses from Placement of Cast-in-Place Deck:



Note: Points represent measured stresses (strains multiplied by measured modulus of elasticity). Solid lines represent regression lines fit to measured data (coefficient of determination given on each chart). Dashed lines represent predicted stresses based on analysis using measured modulus of elasticity, measured deck thickness, and transformed section properties.

Prestress Losses:

| Beam | Days after Release | Loss Components, ksi | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|------------------|---------|-----------------|------|-------|
| | | PR (34) | ES at Release | ES (35) | CR + SH (36) | RE | TOTAL |
| Eastbound Beams Class H (HPC) | | | | | | | |
| E13 | 422 | 8.10 | 17.72 | 25.03 | 15.02 | 2.46 | 50.61 |
| E14 | 422 | 8.10 | 16.66 | 24.58 | 22.10 | 2.46 | 57.24 |
| E24 | 404 | 9.11 | 14.92 | 20.19 | 19.78 | 2.43 | 51.51 |
| E25 | 746 | 8.10 | 14.59 | 22.46 | 18.63 | 2.77 | 51.95 |
| E34 | 316 | 9.11 | 21.64 | 30.86 | 15.17 | 2.30 | 57.43 |
| E35 | 309 | 9.11 | 21.25 | 30.52 | 16.26 | 2.28 | 58.17 |
| E44 | 305 | 9.11 | 16.27 | 26.15 | 18.09 | 2.28 | 55.63 |
| Westbound Beams Class H | | | | | | | |
| W14 | 771 | 7.09 | 13.94 | 13.94 | 10.84 | 2.79 | 34.67 |
| W15 | 771 | 7.09 | 14.73 | 14.73 | 9.81 | 2.79 | 34.41 |
| W16 | 771 | 7.09 | 12.18 | 12.18 | 10.62 | 2.79 | 32.68 |
| W17 | 776 | 7.09 | 12.80 | 12.80 | 7.84 | 2.79 | 30.51 |

ES = Elastic shortening component measured using a combination of vibrating wire strain gages and electrical resistance strain gages.

CR+SH = Creep and shrinkage component determined as the difference between total shortening and elastic shortening measured with vibrating wire strain gages.

RE = Relaxation component after release calculated for low relaxation strand.

(34) PR = Pre-release component calculated as 4.5, 4.0, or 3.5 percent of the nominal jacking stress.

(35) Includes elastic loss in pretensioned reinforcement caused by post tensioning.

(36) Includes compensation for measured elastic change in stress from superimposed dead load.

Camber and Deflection:

All camber and deflection values in inches. Negative values indicate downward deflection.

| Beam No. | Camber at Release | | Camber Growth (37) | | Post Tensioning (40) | CIP Deck (41) | Total Deck (42) | Long Term (38) | |
|----------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|--------|
| | Actual | Corrected (39) | Days of Data | Camber | | | | Days of Data | Camber |
| E13 | 1.52 | 1.49 | 25 | 0.87 | 1.42 | -1.23 | — | 424 | 2.09 |
| E14 | 1.55 | 1.52 | 25 | 0.86 | 1.40 | -1.58 | — | 424 | 2.42 |
| E24 | 0.61 | 0.10 | 17 | 0.59 | 2.59 | -1.88 | -4.18 | 406 | 2.08 |
| E25 | 0.23 | -0.26 | 24 | 0.34 | 2.15 | -2.14 | -4.31 | 748 | 1.45 |
| E26 | 0.80 | 0.29 | 17 | 0.54 | 2.47 | -2.91 | -4.56 | 406 | 0.84 |
| E33 | 0.87 | 0.36 | 28 | 0.81 | 2.42 | -1.93 | -4.43 | 392 | 1.77 |
| E34 | 0.76 | 0.34 | 28 | 0.70 | 2.36 | -2.05 | -4.53 | 392 | 1.27 |
| E35 | 1.15 | 0.98 | 31 | 1.04 | 2.29 | -2.79 | -4.43 | 385 | 2.35 |
| E44 | 0.94 | 0.52 | 24 | 1.15 | 2.36 | — | — | 371 | 2.33 |
| E45 | 0.89 | 0.47 | 24 | 0.99 | 2.66 | — | — | 371 | 1.71 |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| W14 | 1.13 | 0.98 | 119 | 0.55 | — | -1.05 | -2.21 | 773 | -1.43 |
| W15 | 1.01 | 0.83 | 119 | 0.90 | — | -0.90 | -2.05 | 773 | -1.55 |
| W16 | 0.79 | 0.53 | 119 | 0.90 | — | -1.03 | -2.15 | 773 | -1.51 |
| W17 | 1.09 | 0.68 | 114 | 0.83 | — | -1.37 | -2.33 | 768 | -2.13 |

(37) Growth in camber during storage at the plant.

(38) Total measured long-term camber.

(39) Actual values corrected for thermal gradient in the beam. All other data are also corrected.

(40) Deflection caused by post-tensioning.

(41) Deflection caused by placing the cast-in-place deck.

(42) Deflection taken as the difference between readings before placement of precast panels and after placement of the cast-in-place deck.

Live Load Tests
Loadings:

| | |
|----------------|--|
| SW-A | One truck pair centered over Beam W16 near midspan of WB Span 1. For general comparison with Loadings SE-A1 and SE-A2 |
| SE-A1 SE-A2 | One truck pair centered over Beam E13 near midspan of EB Span 1. Loading repeated twice at different times during test. |
| SE-B | Two truck pairs placed near midspan of EB Span 1. Outer edge of wheel lines for each truck pair at 2.0 ft from centerline of Beam E 13. Intended to produce approximately maximum stress in Beam E 13. |
| SE-C | One truck pair centered over Beam E25 near midspan of EB Span 2. |
| SE-D | One truck pair centered over Beam E34 near midspan of EB Span 3. |
| SE-E | Loading SE-C and SE-D applied simultaneously. For investigation of possible continuity across Bent 3. |

Test Results:

| Beam (43) | Measured Deflection (44), in | Measured Curvature (45), millionths/in | Moment Computed | |
|---------------|------------------------------------|---|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| | | | Deflection (46), ft-kip | Curvature (47), ft-kip |
| Loading SW-A | | | | |
| W11 | -0.01 | — | 17 | — |
| W12 | -0.03 | — | 48 | — |
| W13 | -0.08 | — | 127 | — |
| W14 | -0.15 | — | 238 | — |
| W15 | -0.23 | — | 336 | — |
| W16 | -0.30 | 1.07 | 484 | 403 |
| W17 | -0.33 | 1.16 | 546 | 448 |
| Loading SE-A1 | | | | |
| E11 | -0.07 | — | 147 | — |
| E12 | -0.17 | — | 384 | — |
| E13 | -0.31 | 1.34 | 701 | 706 |
| E14 | -0.27 | 1.11 | 567 | 544 |
| Loading SE-A2 | | | | |
| E11 | -0.08 | — | 168 | — |
| E12 | -0.18 | — | 407 | — |
| E13 | -0.33 | 1.50 | 746 | 788 |
| E14 | -0.30 | 1.18 | 630 | 579 |
| Loading SE-B | | | | |
| E11 | -0.21 | — | 442 | — |
| E12 | -0.44 | — | 997 | — |
| E13 | -0.58 | 2.71 | 1314 | 1428 |
| E14 | -0.58 | 2.45 | 1220 | 1201 |

(43) W = Westbound. E = Eastbound. First number is the span. Second number is the beam line

(44) Midspan deflection measured using precise surveying. Negative values indicate downward deflection.

(45) Midspan curvature determined by fitting a regression line through the measured concrete strains at several depths. Positive values indicate a downward deflection.

(46) Midspan moments computed using composite section properties based on measured moduli of elasticity for beam and deck concrete, measured deck thickness, and effective flange width per Article 8.10.1 of the *AASHTO Standard Specifications*. Moment diagram based on measured truck loads was used to establish the relationship between midspan deflection and midspan moment.

(47) Midspan moment calculated from midspan curvature using composite section properties.

| Beam (43) | Measured Deflection (44), in | Measured Curvature (45), millionths/in | Moment Computed | |
|--------------|------------------------------------|---|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| | | | Deflection (46), ft-kip | Curvature (47), ft-kip |
| Loading SE-C | | | | |
| E21 | -0.13 | — | 203 | — |
| E22 | -0.33 | — | 483 | — |
| E23 | -0.42 | — | 615 | — |
| E24 | -0.52 | — | 762 | — |
| E25 | -0.59 | 1.27 | 861 | 602 |
| E26 | -0.65 | — | 1014 | — |
| Loading SE-D | | | | |
| E31 | -0.08 | — | 106 | — |
| E32 | -0.22 | — | 345 | — |
| E33 | -0.35 | — | 548 | — |
| E34 | -0.37 | — | 580 | — |
| E35 | -0.40 | 1.16 | 532 | 458 |
| Loading SE-E | | | | |
| E21 | -0.11 | — | 172 | — |
| E22 | -0.29 | — | 425 | — |
| E23 | -0.38 | — | 557 | — |
| E24 | -0.48 | — | 703 | — |
| E25 | -0.51 | 1.42 | 745 | 671 |
| E26 | -0.61 | — | 952 | — |
| E31 | -0.13 | — | 173 | — |
| E32 | -0.19 | — | 298 | — |
| E33 | -0.31 | — | 486 | — |
| E34 | -0.43 | — | 674 | — |
| E35 | -0.47 | 1.07 | 626 | 421 |

(43) W = Westbound. E = Eastbound. First number is the span. Second number is the beam line

(44) Midspan deflection measured using precise surveying. Negative values indicate downward deflection.

(45) Midspan curvature determined by fitting a regression line through the measured concrete strains at several depths. Positive values indicate a downward deflection.

(46) Midspan moments computed using composite section properties based on measured moduli of elasticity for beam and deck concrete, measured deck thickness, and effective flange width per Article 8.10.1 of the *AASHTO Standard Specifications*. Moment diagram based on measured truck loads was used to establish the relationship between midspan deflection and midspan moment.

(47) Midspan moment calculated from midspan curvature using composite section properties.

8. OTHER RELATED RESEARCH

Transfer and Development Lengths

Prior to construction of the San Angelo Bridge, tests were made to determine the transfer and development lengths for 0.6-in-diameter strands in HPC with a strand spacing of 2 in. Two rectangular beams known as Hoblitzell-Buckner Beams and Texas Type C beams were tested.

Hoblitzell-Bucker Beams

Transfer Length: 13 to 17 in

Development Length:

| Test (48) | Embedment Length, in | Concrete Compressive Strength, psi | Failure Type (49) |
|-----------|----------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1 | 163 | 13,100 | Flexural |
| 2 | 119 | 13,100 | Flexural |
| 3 | 102 | 13,200 | Flexural |
| 4 | 78 | 13,200 | Flexural |

(48) Beams were 14x42 in and contained six 0.6-in-diameter strands at 2-in centers. Concrete compressive strength at release was 7700 psi.

(49) Since all test specimens failed in flexure, the development length was less than 78 in.

Texas Type C Beams

Transfer Length: 18 to 24 in

Development Length:

| Test (50) | Embedment Length, in | Concrete Compressive Strength, psi | Failure Type (51) |
|-----------|----------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1 | 120 | | Flexural |
| 2 | 93 | | Flexural |
| 3 | 78 | | Flexural |
| 4 | 72 | | Flexural |

(50) Beams were 40-in deep with a 72-in-wide by 7-1/2-in-deep concrete deck and contained sixteen 0.6-in-diameter strands at 2-in centers.

(51) Since all test specimens failed in flexure, the development length was less than 72 in.

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10. DRAWINGS

Beam Span Lengths, Beam Spacings, and Specified Compressive Strengths

| Span No. | Beam Type | Span Length (52), ft | No. of Beams | Beam Spacing, ft | Specified Compressive Strength, psi | | | | |
|-----------|-----------|----------------------|--------------|------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|----------|-----------------|--------------|
| | | | | | Original | | Modified | | |
| | | | | | Release | 56 days (53) | Release | Post-tensioning | 56 days (53) |
| Eastbound | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | IV | 131.0 | 4 | 11.0 | 10,800 | 13,600 | 8100 | 9950 | 13,000 |
| 2 | IV | 157.0 | 6 | 6.6 | 9200 | 13,500 (54) | 8000 | 9800 | 14,000 |
| 3 | IV | 150.0 | 5 | 8.3 | 10,300 | 14,700 | 8000 | 10,400 | 13,800 |
| 4 | IV | 149.0 (55) | 5 | 8.3 (55) | 9800 | 14,000 | 8000 | 10,400 | 13,700 |
| 5 | IV | 140.3 (55) | 5 | 8.5 (55) | 8900 | 10,900 | 8000 | 9800 | 12,500 |
| 6 | IV | 88.9 (55) | 5 | 9.5 (55) | 4000 | 5800 | | | |
| 7 | IV | 69.8 (55) | 7 | 7.5 (55) | 6000 (54) | 7600 (54) | | | |
| 8 | B | 63.8 (55) | 10 | 6.2 (55) | 6800 (54) | 7800 (54) | | | |
| Westbound | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | IV | 131.0 | 7 | 5.7 | 5770 | 7850 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2 | IV | 129.0 | 6 | 6.9 | 5940 | 7910 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 3 | IV | 129.0 | 6 | 7.3 | 6160 | 8150 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 4 | IV | 129.0 | 6 | 7.8 | 6560 | 8540 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 5 | IV | 100.0 | 6 | 8.3 | 4020 | 5000 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 6 | IV | 140.3 | 9 | 5.4 | 6210 | 8920 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 7 | B | | 5 | | 4000 | 5000 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 8 | IV | | | | 5940 | 7910 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 9 | IV | | 7 | | 6200 (54) | 8790 (54) | N/A | N/A | N/A |

(52) Between centerline of bents.

(53) 56 days for HPC mixes, 28 days for non-HPC mixes.

(54) Maximum value for the span. Other beams have a lower specified strength.

(55) Individual values within the span vary. Average values reported.

Lateral Stability Considerations

As stated on the bridge drawings:

Lateral stability of the beams during lifting from the bed, during shipment, and during placement shall be investigated by the fabricator.

- An increase in the beams required initial release strength may be necessary to allow lifting loops to be moved in from the beam ends.
- The use of double (side-by-side) lifting loops is encourage in order to minimize initial lifting eccentricity.
- Beam sweep shall be kept to a minimum.
- A rigid yoke lifting assembly may be required for lifting operations.

11. HPC SPECIFICATIONS

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HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE (HPC)

ITEMS 420, 421, 422, 424 AND 440

THE DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A PORTION OF THIS PROJECT, THE NORTH CONCHO RIVER, U.S. 87 & S.O. RR OVERPASS EASTBOUND MAINLANES, IS PART OF A FEDERAL DEMONSTRATION RESEARCH PROJECT ON THE USE OF HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE (HPC) IN BRIDGE STRUCTURES. THIS STUDY IS CO-SPONSORED BY THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION (FHWA) AND THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TXDOT). THE INVESTIGATING TEAM (RESEARCHERS) IS WITH THE CENTER FOR TRANSPORTATION RESEARCH OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN. THE SUCCESS OF BOTH THE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT AND THE RESEARCH REQUIRES THAT THE RESEARCHERS PLAY AN INTEGRAL PART IN THE CONSTRUCTION PROCESS, AND THAT THE CONTRACTOR AND SUBCONTRACTORS COOPERATE FULLY WITH THE RESEARCHERS. THE FOLLOWING SECTION DESCRIBES SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS REQUIRED OF THE CONTRACTOR, AND OUTLINES THE ROLE OF THE RESEARCHERS IN VARIOUS ASPECTS OF THE CONSTRUCTION PROCESS.

THE CONTRACTOR IS GIVEN THE OPTION OF CONSTRUCTING PRECAST SUB-STRUCTURES (CAPS AND COLUMNS), OF THE SAME STRENGTHS AND DIMENSIONS AS THE CAST-IN-PLACE SUBSTRUCTURES, FOR THE NORTH CONCHO RIVER, US 87 & S. O. OVERPASS. FABRICATION SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITEM 424. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT TO THE STATE COMPLETE DETAILS, INFORMATION AND ALL APPLICABLE DRAWINGS OF THE PROPOSED METHOD, MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT AND PROCEDURES. THESE SHALL BE SUBMITTED SUFFICIENTLY IN ADVANCE OF THE START OF CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS, TO ALLOW THE STATE NOT LESS THAN

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GENERAL NOTES AND SPECIFICATION DATA -

HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE (HPC) CONT'D
14 CALENDAR DAYS FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL.

COORDINATION OF WORK WITH THE CONTRACTOR

ALL ASPECTS OF THE RESEARCHERS' WORK SHALL BE COORDINATED WITH THE CONTRACTOR. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL TAKE ALL ACTIONS NECESSARY TO INCORPORATE THE RESEARCH ACTIVITIES INTO THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE.

ATTENDANCE AT A PRE-BID MEETING, WHERE THE RESEARCHERS AND TXDOT PERSONNEL WILL GIVE PRESENTATIONS ON DETAILS CONCERNING THE HIGH STRENGTH CONCRETE (HPC) BRIDGE, IS MANDATORY FOR ALL CONTRACTORS BIDDING ON THIS CONTRACT. AFTER LETTING, A PARTNERING WORKSHOP IS RECOMMENDED AND A PRECONSTRUCTION MEETING WILL BE SCHEDULED WITH THE CONTRACTOR, PERTINENT SUBCONTRACTORS, RESEARCHERS AND SPONSORS.

AT ALL TIMES, INCLUDING DURING CONSTRUCTION, COORDINATION BETWEEN THE CONTRACTOR'S AND RESEARCHERS' AREA REPRESENTATIVES WILL BE REQUIRED TO ENSURE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NECESSARY MEASURES FOR DESIGN AND CONTROL OF HPC. THE RESEARCHERS WILL BE PROVIDED ACCESS TO THE WORK AREA, AND WILL INSTALL THE INSTRUMENTATION. ANY NECESSARY FACILITIES FOR INSTALLING AND PROTECTING INSTRUMENTATION AND EQUIPMENT WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE CONTRACTOR.

DEFINITION OF HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE (HPC)

FOR THIS CONTRACT, "HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE" SHALL BE DEFINED AS THE CONCRETE IN THE DECK, BEAMS, CAPS AND COLUMNS OF THE EASTBOUND MAIN-LANES OF THE NORTH CONCHO RIVER, U.S. 87 & S.O. RR OVERPASS, THE DECK ONLY OF THE WESTBOUND MAINLANES OF THIS OVERPASS, AND THE BEAMS OF ENTRANCE RAMP E. HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE BEAMS AND PRECAST CONCRETE PANELS ARE CLASS H (HPC) CONCRETE. HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE CAST-IN-PLACE DECK, CAPS, AND COLUMNS OF THE EASTBOUND MAINLANES ARE CLASS K (HPC) CONCRETE AS DEFINED IN THE SPECIAL PROVISIONS TO ITEM 421. THE HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE CAST-IN-PLACE DECK IN THE WESTBOUND MAINLANES IS CLASS S (HPC) CONCRETE.

HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE (HPC) MIX DEVELOPMENT

THE RESEARCHERS WILL PROVIDE TECHNICAL EXPERTISE TO THE CONTRACTOR IN DEVELOPING AND EVALUATING THE HPC MIX DESIGNS. THE DESIGN AND CONTROL OF THE HPC WILL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS, SPECIAL PROVISIONS AND CONTRACT PLANS. EMPHASIS WILL BE GIVEN TO USING THE LOCAL MATERIALS AVAILABLE AS PROPOSED BY THE CONTRACTOR. HOWEVER, HIGHER QUALITY MATERIALS THAN ARE AVAILABLE LOCALLY, SUCH AS HIGH

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HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE (HPC) CONT'D
STRENGTH AGGREGATES FOR THE BEAMS, MAY BE REQUIRED TO MEET THE HPC SPECIFICATIONS.

LABORATORY AND FIELD TESTING

DURING THE TRIAL MIX PHASE OF THE HPC MIX DESIGN, AND FOR CONTROL OF THE HPC DURING FABRICATION/CONSTRUCTION, HPC SPECIMENS IN ADDITION TO THOSE REQUIRED BY THE SPECIFICATIONS/CONTRACT PLANS WILL BE MADE BY THE RESEARCHERS AND/OR TXDOT PERSONNEL. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAKE THE NECESSARY PROVISIONS TO ALLOW ADEQUATE SAMPLING OF THE HPC.

"SPECIAL STEEL" FOR DECK REINFORCEMENT

THE TOP MAT OF DECK REINFORCEMENT IN THE SECOND AND THIRD SPANS OF BOTH THE EASTBOUND AND THE WESTBOUND MAINLANES OF THE NORTH CONCHO RIVER, U.S. 87 & S.O. RR OVERPASS SHALL BE A "SPECIAL STEEL." THE "SPECIAL STEEL" IN THE WESTBOUND MAINLANES SHALL BE EPOXY COATED IN ACCORDANCE _ WITH ITEM 440, "REINFORCING STEEL."

THE "SPECIAL STEEL" CONFORMS TO ASTM A615, WITH A MINIMUM "RELATIVE RIB AREA" OF 0.12. THE "RELATIVE RIB AREA" IS THE RATIO OF BEARING AREA OF RIBS TO SHEARING AREA BETWEEN RIBS. THIS "SPECIAL STEEL" MAY BE OBTAINED FROM CHAPARRAL STEEL CO. OF MIDLOTHIAN, TEXAS, AND BIRMINGHAM STEEL CO. OF BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA.

PAVING ADJACENT TO HPC BRIDGE

THE LAST 100 FT OF ROADWAY PAVING ADJACENT TO THE BRIDGE ENDS SHOULD NOT BE PLACED UNTIL THE BRIDGE DECK IS CONSTRUCTED. THIS WILL PERMIT ADJUSTMENT OF VERTICAL CURVE, TO PREVENT EXCESSIVE SLAB THICKNESS, SHOULD ANTICIPATED BEAM CAMBER NOT BE ATTAINED.

STRUCTURE MONITORING

THE RESEARCHERS WILL DEVELOP A FIELD MEASURING PROGRAM TO MONITOR THE STRUCTURAL PERFORMANCE OF THE BRIDGE AND ITS COMPONENTS. THE CONTRACTOR WILL MAKE AVAILABLE SELECTED COMPONENTS TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO VARIOUS LOCATIONS TO ALLOW RESEARCHERS TO ATTACH MONITORING DEVICES. IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT THE INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT OR THE COLLECTION OF DATA WILL NOT CAUSE ANY SIGNIFICANT DELAYS OR WORK STOPPAGES FOR THE CONTRACTOR.

INSTRUMENTATION SHALL BE PLACED IN THE EASTBOUND MAINLANES, AND IN SPAN NO. 1 ONLY OF THE WESTBOUND MAINLANES.

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TO

ITEM 420

CONCRETE STRUCTURES

For this project, Item 420, "Concrete Structures", of the Standard Specifications, is hereby amended with respect to the clauses cited below and no other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed hereby.

Article 420.3. General Requirements. The first paragraph is voided and replaced by the following:

Before starting work, the Contractor shall fully inform the Engineer of the construction methods he proposes to use, the adequacy of which shall be subject to the approval of the Engineer. The researchers shall be provided access to the work, and will install the instrumentation. Any necessary facilities for installing and protecting instrumentation and equipment shall be provided by the Contractor.

Article 420.25. Payment. The last paragraph is supplemented by the following:

Any HPC concrete that fails to meet required strengths shall not be subject to the penalties shown above.

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ITEM 421

PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE

For this project, Item 421, "Portland Cement Concrete", of the Standard Specifications, is hereby amended with respect to the clauses cited below and no other clauses or requirements of this item are waived or changed hereby.

Article 421.2. Materials, Subarticle (2) Fly Ash. The second paragraph is voided and replaced by the following:

The Contractor shall have the option of replacing a percentage of the required cement with fly ash, on a one to one basis by absolute volume, in accordance with the following:

When aggregate sources have not been identified as potentially reactive, the Contractor may substitute up to 35 percent of the cement with fly ash.

When potentially reactive aggregates are used, the Contractor may substitute from a minimum of 20 percent to a maximum of 35 percent of the cement with fly ash.

Only Type A fly ash may be used when Type II cement is specified.

No fly ash will be permitted when a white portland cement is required and no additional fly ash will be permitted when a Type IP cement is used.

Article 421.2. Materials, Subarticle (4) Coarse Aggregate. The first sentence of the first paragraph is voided and replaced by the following:

Coarse aggregate shall consist of durable particles of gravel, crushed blast furnace slag, recycled crushed portland cement concrete, crushed stone, or combinations thereof and shall be free from frozen material or injurious amounts of salt, alkali, vegetable matter, or other objectionable material.

Article 421.2. Materials, Subarticle (5) Fine Aggregate. The first and second paragraphs are voided and replaced by the following:

Fine aggregate shall consist of clean, hard, durable particles of

natural or manufactured sand or a combination thereof, with or without a mineral filler. Fine aggregate shall be free from frozen material or

injurious amounts of salt, alkali, vegetable matter or other objectional material and shall not contain more than 0.5 percent clay lumps by weight.

When fine aggregate is subjected to the color test for organic impurities in accordance with Test Method Tex-408-A, the test result shall not show a color darker than standard.

When white portland cement is specified, the fine aggregate shall be light colored.

Unless otherwise shown on the plans, the acid insoluble residue of fine aggregate used in concrete subjected to direct traffic shall not be less than 60 percent by weight when tested in accordance with Test Method Tex-612-J.

Unless otherwise shown on the plans, fine aggregates may be blended to meet the acid insoluble residue requirements. When blended, the following equation will be used:

$$\text{Acid Insoluble (\%)} = \{(A1)(P1 + (A2)(P2))\}1/100$$

where:

A1 = acid insoluble (%) of aggregate 1

A2 = acid insoluble (%) of aggregate 2

P1 = percent by weight of A1 of the fine aggregate blend

P2 = percent by weight of A2 of the fine aggregate blend

Article 421.2. Materials. Subarticle (5) Last paragraph is supplemented by the following:

For class K (HPC) concrete, the fineness modulus shall be between 2.30 and 3.10 as determined by Test Method Tex-402-A.

Article 421.8. Classification and Mix Design. The first paragraph is voided and replaced by the following:

The Contractor shall furnish the mix design, using a coarse aggregate factor acceptable to the Engineer, for the class(es) of concrete specified, to conform with the requirements contained herein and in accordance with Construction Bulletin C-11. The researchers will provide technical expertise to the Contractor in developing and evaluating the hPC mix designs. The Contractor shall bear the expense of providing adequate quantities of the HPC constituents, to the research facility located in Austin, Texas, necessary for

developing the HPC mix designs. The Contractor shall perform, at his entire expense, the work required to substantiate the design, including several 4-5 cubic yard test batches or sections of each component, except that casting and testing of strength specimens will be done by the Department. Complete concrete design data shall be submitted to the Engineer for approval.

Article 421.8. Classification and Mix Design. The eleventh (11) paragraph is supplemented by the following:

The type of admixtures utilized in the high performance concrete (HPC) shall be designated by the researchers and may preclude the requirements of the Item 437, "Admixtures".

Article 421.8. Classification and Mix Design. "Table 3, Slump Requirements", A. Structural Concrete is supplemented by the following:

| | | |
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| (9) High strength concrete (f'c >= 9000 psi) | ----- | Maximum slump may exceed 8" when approved by the Engineer |
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Article 421.9. Quality of Concrete. The third paragraph is voided and replaced by the following:

Unless otherwise shown on the plans the Contractor shall furnish and properly maintain all test molds. The test molds shall meet the requirements of Test Methods Tex-418-A and Tex-448-A and, in the opinion of the Engineer, must be satisfactory for use at the time of use. For high performance concrete (HPC), extra concrete and specimen molds may be required for making research test specimens. All compressive strength specimen molds for high strength concrete (f'c >= 9000 psi) shall be 4" diameter by 8" in dimension, and shall have unbonded capping systems capable of attaining 15,000 psi, or caps made of high strength capping compound capable of attaining 15,000 psi. In addition, the Contractor shall be responsible for furnishing personnel to remove the test specimens from the molds and transport them, as needed, to the proper curing location at the schedule designated by the Engineer and in accordance with the governing specification. For all concrete items the Contractor shall have a wheelbarrow, or other container acceptable to the Engineer, available to use in the sampling of the concrete. The Contractor is responsible for disposing of used, broken test specimens.

Article 421-9. Quality of Concrete. "Table 4, Classes of Concrete", is supplemented by the following:

| Class | Cement Per C.Y. Of Conc. | Min. Comp. Sgth. (f'c) 28 Day psi (e) | Min. Flex. Sgth. 7 day psi | Max. Water Cement Ratio Gal/sk | Coarse Aggr. Grade No. | General Usage |
|---------|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|---------------------------------|---|
| K (HPC) | 6.5 | As specified on the plans | N.A. | 5.0 | 3-4-5-6 | For cast-in-place concrete deck, caps & columns of Eastbound Mainlanes (f) |
| H (HPC) | 6.0 | As specified on the plans | N.A. | 5.5 | 3-4-5-6 | For beams of Eastbound Mainlanes and prestressed concrete panels of Eastbound & Westbound Mainlanes (f) Also for beams of Entrance Ramp E |
| S (HPC) | 6.5 | 4000 | 570 525 (c) | 5.0 | 2-3-4-5 | For cast-in-place deck of Westbound Mainlanes (f) |

(e) For high strength concrete (f'c \geq 9000 psi) the 56-day minimum compressive strength shall be as specified on the plans.

(f) The North Concho River, U.S. 87 & S.O. RR Overpass.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS

TO

ITEM 424

PRECAST CONCRETE STRUCTURES (FABRICATION)

For this project, Item 424, "Precast Concrete Structures (Fabrication)", of the Standard Specifications, is hereby amended with respect to the clauses cited below and no other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed hereby.

Article 424.3. General. Subarticle (1) is supplemented by the following:

(c). The researchers shall be provided access to the work, and will install the instrumentation. Any necessary facilities for installing and protecting instrumentation and equipment shall be provided by the Contractor.

Article 424-4. Fabrication. Subarticle (3) Paragraph 2 is voided and replaced by the following:

The control of concrete shall be by compressive tests of cylinders. For prestressed and nonstressed members, the making, curing, and testing of all required cylinder test specimens for release or handling strength or design strength shall be in accordance with Test Method Tex-704-I. The control of high strength concrete ($f'_c \geq 9000$ psi) shall be by 56-day compressive strength testing. Job control testing may be performed at any age equal to or greater than 7 days; however, the minimum strength requirements for job control testing shall be 100 percent of the specified 56-day compressive strength. When the required 56-day compressive strength is not attained by job control testing, the final set of compressive strength specimens shall be tested at 56 days.

Article 424.4. Fabrication. Subarticle (4)(a) Last paragraph is voided and replaced by the following:

Protection shall be provided to maintain the temperature of the concrete at all surfaces of prestressed members at 50 F or above until "Release Strength" is reached. All concrete surfaces of nonstressed members shall be maintained at 40 F or above during the specified curing period. Protection shall consist of providing additional covering and, if necessary, supplementing such covering with artificial heating. When weather conditions indicate the possibility of the need for such temperature protection, all necessary heating equipment and covering material shall be on hand ready for use before permission is granted by the Engineer to begin

placement of concrete. For high strength concrete ($f'_c \geq 9000$ psi) protective measures shall be taken to assure the difference between the air temperature and the surface of the concrete shall not exceed 40 degrees F except during form removal.

Article 424.4. Fabrication. Subarticle (6) Paragraph 1 is voided and replaced by the following:

Careful attention shall be given to the proper curing of concrete. For high performance concrete (HPC), modifications to the curing requirements shall be made as required by the researchers. Prior to placing concrete, the Contractor shall submit the proposed curing methods and procedures to the Engineer for approval. Elevated temperature curing facilities shall be tested for a minimum of 48 hours prior to approval. Approved equipment and materials for curing shall be available for use prior to casting.

Article 424.4. Fabrication. Is supplemented by the following:

(7) Strand Pull-out Tests. Strand pull-out tests shall be performed by and at the expense of the Contractor. The making, curing, and testing of the strand pull-out test specimens shall be performed as directed by the researchers and as described herein.

(a) Strand pull-out test specimens and compressive strength cylinders shall be made in conjunction with 14 beams.

(b) The strand samples will be identified by the researchers.

(c) For the pull-out test procedure and any additional information regarding this procedure, call the TXDOT Design Division, Bridge Section, at 512-416-2268.

Article 424.5. Workmanship, Subarticle (2) Tolerances, Section (a) Prestressed Members. Table 1 is voided and replaced by the following:

TABLE 1
ALLOWABLE TOLERANCES

| | Beams | Box Beams | Tees | Panels | Piling |
|---|--------------------|------------|------------|--------------------|------------|
| Lengths (Normal to strands for panels) | $\pm 3/4"$ | $\pm 1"$ | $\pm 3/4"$ | $\pm 1/2"$ | $-1"$ * |
| Width (Parallel to strands for panels) | $+3/4"$ $-1/4"$ | $\pm 1/4"$ | $\pm 3/4"$ | $\pm 1/2"$ | $\pm 1/4"$ |
| Nominal Depth (Thickness in case of panels) | $+1/2"$ $-1/4"$ | $\pm 1/4"$ | $\pm 1/4"$ | $+1/4"$ $-1/8"$ | $\pm 1/4"$ |

| | | Beams | Box Beams | Tees | Panels | Piling |
|---|--------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Thickness | Top Slab or Flange | +1/2" -1/4" | +/-1/2" | +/-1/4" | NA | NA |
| | Bottom Slab or Flange | +1/2" -1/4" | +/-1/2" | NA | NA | NA |
| | Web or Wall | +3/4" -1/4" | +/-1/2" | +/-1/4" | NA | NA |
| Horizontal Alignment (Upon Release of Stress) - Deviation from straightness of mating edge of panels. | | +/-1/8" per 10' of length | +/-1/4" | +/-1/4" | +/-1/8" | +/-1/8" per 10' of length |
| Deviation of Ends from Shop Plan Dimension (Bearing edge in case of panels) | Horizontal Skew | +/-1/4" | +/-1/8" per 1' of width, 1/2"max | +/-1/8" per 1' of width | +/-1/2" | +/-1/8" |
| | Vertical Batter | +/-1/8" per 1' of depth | +/-1/8" per 1' of depth, 1/2"max | +/-1/8" per 1' of depth | NA | +/-1/8" |
| Notched End Area (for diaphragms) | Depth | +/-1/4" | +/-1/4" | +/-1/4" | NA | NA |
| | Length | +2" -1" | +2" -1" | +2" -1" | NA | NA |
| Bearing Surfaces | Perpendicular to Vertical Axis | +/-1/8" | NA | +/-1/16" | NA | NA |
| | Deviation from Plane | +/-1/16" | +/-1/8" | +/-1/16" | NA | NA |
| Anchor Hole Location | From End of Member | +3/4" -1/4" | +/-1/4" | +3/4" -1/4" | NA | NA |
| | Longitudinal Spacing | +/-3/4" | +/-1/2" | +/-3/4" | NA | NA |
| | Transverse Location | +/-1/4" | +/-1/4" | +/-1/4" | NA | NA |
| Diaphragm or Lateral Tie Location | | +/-1/2" | +/-1/2" | +/-1/2" | NA | NA |
| Position of Void** (Longitudinal for Box Beams) | | NA | +/-1" | NA | NA | +/-1/2" |
| Position of Strands | | +/-1/4" | +/-1/4" | +/-1/4" | +/-1/8" vert. +/-1/2" Horiz. | +/-1/4" |
| Position of Hold-Down Points | | +/-6" | +/-6" | +/-6" | NA | NA |
| Position of Handling Devices | | +/-6" | +/-6" | +/-6" | NA | +/-6" |

Measured for bottom of panel.

* Maximum length approved by the Engineer.

** Length of Box Beam Void Material +1"-6".

San Angelo Bridge
Properties of Cement used in Girders and Deck Panels

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------|-------|
| Property, % | | |
| SiO ₂ | | 19.66 |
| Al ₂ O ₂ | | 5.38 |
| Fe ₂ O ₃ | | 2.06 |
| CaO | | 64.05 |
| MgO | | 1.26 |
| SO ₃ | | 4.09 |
| Loss of Ignition | | 2.64 |
| Insoluble Residue | | 0.27 |
| Free Lime | | N/A |
| C ₃ S | | 60.58 |
| C ₃ A | | 10.77 |
| Total Alkali | | 0.60 |
| | | |
| Specific Surface, cm ² /gm | | |
| Blaine | | 5730 |
| Wagner | | 2926 |
| % Passing No. 325 Sieve | | 98.6 |
| Compressive Strength, psi | | |
| 1 Day | | 4545 |
| 3 Day | | 5910 |
| 7 Day | | 6750 |
| 28 Day | | N/A |
| Setting Time, min | | |
| Vicat | Initial | 75 |
| | Final | 120 |
| Gilmore | Initial | 135 |
| | Final | 255 |

N/A = Not available